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SUBJ: GVN ISSUES ANNOUNCEMENT ON PRESS POLICY

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1. FULL TEXT OF FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENT WITHOUT FURTHER COMMENT APPEARED ON FRONT PAGE OF PRO-GVN DAILIES DAN CHU AND QUAT CUONG ON MARCH 23 UNDER HEADING: "GOVERNMENT OF RVN ANNOUNCES INFORMATION AND PRESS POLICY DURING CURRENT NAIONAL SITUATION."

2. BEGIN TEXT:

FACED WITH THE PRESENT EMERGENCY SITUATION WHICH IS RELATED TO THE SURVIVAL OF THE COUNTRY, THE GOVERNMENT SOLEMNLY ANNOUNCES THE FOLLOWING PRESS AND INFORMATION POLICY:

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FIRST- INFORMATION MUST BE FAITHFUL AND ACCURATE. COMMENTARY

MUST BECORRECT AND BASED ON SOLID DATA.

SECOND - GROUNDLESS RUMORS AND IRRESPONSIBLE SPECULATION CANNOT BE AUTHORIZED FOR PUBLICATION.

THIRD - ALL RECORDED DATA RELATED TO SECURITY AND TO THE NATIONAL DEFENSE, POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SECTORS, MUST BE CHECKED WITH THE AUTHORIZED OFFICIALS PRIOR TO PUBLICATION SO AS TOAVOID VIOLATIONS OF ARTICLE 28 OF THE LAW 019/69, DATED DECEMBER 30, 1969, WHICH FIXES THE STATUTES FOR THE PRESS. END TEXT. LEHMANN

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